



**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
ART UNIT 1634**

**PATENT**  
Attorney Docket No.: JHU1590

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Jean-Pierre Issa Art Unit: 1634  
Application No.: 09/398,522 Examiner: J. Goldberg  
Filed: September 15, 1999  
Title: CACNA1G POLYNUCLEOTIDE, POLYPEPTIDE AND METHODS OF  
USE THEREFOR

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

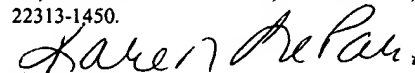
This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Final Office Action mailed November 13, 2002.

The requested extension is for Three (3) Months, extending the period for response from February 13, 2003 to May 13, 2003.

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**CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8**

I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on May 12, 2003, in an envelope addressed to: to MAIL STOP AF, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

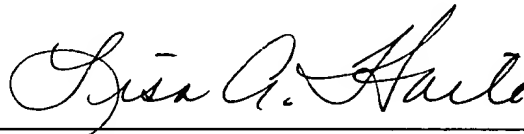
  
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Enclosed is Check No. 536542 in the total amount of \$570.00; which consists of the balance of the three month extension of time fee (\$465.00 - \$55 = \$410.00) and the Notice of Appeal fee (\$160.00). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees associated with the filing submitted herewith, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 50-1355. A duplicate copy of the Transmittal Sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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